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Announcement of Intention to Extend the Accreditation of the Fibre Processing and Manufacturing Sector Education and Training Authority (FPMSETA)

The South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA) hereby notifies the public that as of 01 April 2011 it has transferred the qualifications listed below and the associated unit standards to the **Fibre Processing and Manufacturing Sector Education and Training Authority** (**FPMSETA**). The decision to transfer the listed qualifications is based on the declaration by the Minister of Higher Education and Training as stated in the Government Gazette, Vol. 545, No. 33756, dated 11 November 2010, wherein the Minister of Higher Education and Training amalgamated the **Clothing, Textiles, Footwear and Leather Sector Education** (**CTFLSETA**), **Forest Industries Education and Training Authority (FIETA)** and specific sub sectors of the Media, Advertising, Publishing, Printing and Packaging Education **and Training Authority (MAPPP SETA)** to become the **Fibre Processing Manufacturing Sector Education and Training Authority.** The qualifications listed below were in the jurisdiction of the former **Forest Industries Education and Training Authority (FIETA)**. The transfer includes the accreditation to quality assure the qualifications listed below that are registered on the National Qualifications Framework (NQF) as well as the providers and learners currently in the system associated with them.

NO	QUALIFICATION TITLE	NQF LEVEL	NLRD NUMBER
1	National Certificate: Saw Doctoring	Level 1	21485
2	National Certificate: Saw Doctoring	Level 2	21486
3	National Certificate: Saw Doctoring	Level 3	21487
4	National Certificate: Saw Doctoring	Level 4	21488
5	National Certificate: Lumber Drying	Level 1	21489
6	National Certificate: Lumber Drying	Level 2	21490
7	National Certificate: Lumber Drying	Level 3	21491
8	National Certificate: Lumber Drying	Level 4	21492
9	National Certificate: Dry Lumber Processing	Level 1	21493
10	National Certificate: Dry Lumber Processing	Level 2	21494
11	National Certificate: Dry Lumber Processing	Level 3	21495
12	National Certificate: Dry Lumber Processing	Level 4	21496
13	National Certificate: Pulp and Paper Woodyard Operations	Level 3	35939
14	National Certificate: Pulp and Paper Manufacturing	Level 2	35941
15	Further Education and Training Certificate: Chemical pulp Manufacturing	Level 4	48643
16	Further Education and Training Certificate: Paper, Board or Tissue Manufacturing	Level 4	48644
17	Further Education and Training Certificate: Pulp and Paper Chemical Recovery	Level 4	48645
18	National Certificate: Forestry: Timber Harvesting	Level 3	48988
19	National Certificate: Pulp and Paper Technology	Level 5	49079
20	GETC: Wood Products Processing	Level 1	49082

NO	QUALIFICATION TITLE	NQF LEVEL	NLRD NUMBER
21	National Certificate: Wood Products Processing	Level 3	49083
22	National Certificate: Furniture Making: Wood	Level 2	49091
23	Further Education and Training Certificate: Furniture Making	Level 4	49092
24	National Certificate: Furniture Making: Wood	Level 3	49105
25	GETC: General Forestry	Level 1	50225
26	National Certificate: Forestry: Silviculture	Level 3	50266
27	National Certificate: Tissue Conversion	Level 2	59017
28	National Certificate: Tissue Conversion	Level 3	59019
29	Further Education and Training Certificate: Tissue Conversion	Level 4	59037
30	National Certificate: Pulp and Paper Operations	Level 2	61929
31	Further Education and Training Certificate: Pulp and Paper Operations	Level 4	61949
32	National Certificate: Pulp and Paper Operations	Level 3	61971
33	National Certificate: Arboriculture: Tree Preservation	Level 3	65490
34	GETC: Lumber Milling	Level 1	66269
35	FETC: Lumber Milling	Level 4	66289
36	National Certificate: Lumber Milling	Level 2	66312
37	National Certificate: Lumber Milling	Level 3	66329
38	Further Education and Training Certificate: General Forestry	Level 4	66349
39	Further Education and Training Certificate: Roof Truss Technology	Level 4	66370

The accreditation will be effective for the duration of the Accreditation of the Fibre **Processing and Manufacturing Sector Education and Training Authority (FPMSETA)**. in terms of Section 2 (1) of the Education and Training Quality Assurance Regulations (SAQA Act No. 58 of 1995).

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